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HELLO!

Do you know that J. W. Race, of the firm of J. R. RACE & CO., has just returned from New York, where he bought goods cheaper than ever?

Yes, I've hearn so—and that they are now receiving an immense stock for the Spring trade; but they always did have the largest and best stock in the city, and sold them mighty cheap.

Did you hear about their Watch Donation?

They are Stem Winders, and guaranteed to keep good time, and are given away with every $20 and over worth of goods purchased of them for cash, at one time.

Buy a $20 Suit and get the correct time.

When are you going around to see their stock?

Why, just as soon as I can get time. Every day is opening day with them. They are always ready to wait on customers and give them bargains.

J. R. RACE & CO.

Are receiving their Spring Stock of

CLOTHING

—AND—

FURNISHING GOODS.

Their MERCHANT TAILORING DEPARTMENT was never so complete.

J. R. RACE & CO.,

129 to 135 Water Street,

DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

March 29 d&wtf

!! A NEW ENTERPRISE !!

Long experience has satisfied us of the necessity in Decatur for

AN EXCLUSIVELY PAINT AND ARTIST'S STORE,

Stock being Selected and Handled by Practical Workmen.

We [illegible] and PUBLIC GENERALLY that we have [illegible] EAST OF THE NEW MASONIC TEMPLE, [illegible]

HOUSE AND CARRIAGE PAINTERS,

[illegible] Varnishes of all kinds Japan Dryers, Lithogen—Wood [illegible] Colors Dry—in Oil—Distemper—and [illegible] a full assortment of *ARTISTS MATERIAS,* [illegible] Palettes Palette Knives Plaques, Brushes, Pencils, [illegible] for all colors and tints—Japan, Empty [illegible] stock

Our Paint Shop [illegible] where we are prepared to execute in the latest [illegible] Ornamental Work

[illegible] city or country from a common barn to the finest [illegible] *REMEMBER THIS! For some of our friends have reported* [illegible] first class workmen for all kinds of work

Aug. 5 [illegible] **MYER & SON.**

RANDOLPH & GHER,

(Successors to Randolph & Kaufman.)

ALL PARTIES WISHING TO

Buy, Sell or Exchange City or Farm Property

Will do well by calling on the above, for they have a larger list than ever before to select from, and they will be pleased to show parties wishing to buy or exchange, also if you want your property insured They represent some of the best insurance companies

☞ Office at the old place, over Newell & Bros' grocery, Water street, Decatur Illinois

April [illegible] **RANDOLPH & GHER.**

Pumps! Pumps!!

Force Pumps,
Wood Pumps,
Chain Pumps,
Wind Mills,
Pump Supplies.

THE NIAGARA

The Best Force Pump Made

THE BEST WOOD PUMP

in the Market

The Spray Chain Pump

Sell, and you will want no other

THE "ECLIPSE" WIND MILL

is the Best of Wind Mills.

When you want to get water come and see us We have what you want.

NIAGARA PUMP CO.,

DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

Factory on Mason Street, 441 and 443, and W. St. L. & P. R'y. July12-d&w1.

Administrator's Notice.

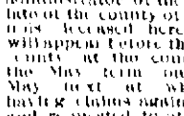
Estate of DAVID MCBRIDE, Deceased

The undersigned having been appointed administrator of the estate of David McBride late of the county of Macon and State of Illinois deceased hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of Macon county at the court house in Decatur at the May term on the third Monday in May next at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned

Dated this 1st day of April 1884

DANIEL L. McBRIDE, Adm'r

April 1–d3w



GRANULAR LIDS.

Iritis, Amaurosis, Near-sight and all scrofulous, painful and chronic diseases of the Eye cured without pain. For terms, reference, etc., address,

GALVANIC INFIRMARY, Decatur, Ill.

Jan 8–d&wly

ST. NICHOLAS HOTEL.

CHAS. LAUX, Proprietor,

South side of the Old Square Decatur

Jan 1 1884– [illegible]

DECATUR SCHOOL OF ELOCUTION!

MISS LENA HENKLE, Dramatic Reader and Teacher of Elocution, Oratory and Reading in its various branches. Classes meet on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday. Business hours Mondays Rooms 25 and 26, in H[illegible] Block, 3rd floor. Elevator entrance on [illegible] street. jan14-d6mo*

WARREN & DURFEE

Have the following described

LOTS

—IN—

Rolling Mill Additions

FOR SALE.

Lot 8, in block 2, 1st addition, on Chisholm street

Lots 12 and 13, same block, and lot 2, block 3, 3rd addition—all on East Eldorado street

Also, two lots on East North, and two lots on East William street, in block 2, 4th addition

March 14—dtf

TO RESTORE sense of taste, smell or hearing use Ely's Cream Balm. It is doing wonderful work Do not fail to procure a bottle, as in it lies the relief you seek Price 50 cents

Apply into nostrils with the finger.

From Major Downs, Military Instructor, Mt Pleasant Academy, Sing Sing, N Y During the very cold weather I was suffering with catarrh. My head and throat ached so severely that I was obliged to keep quiet Ely's Cream Balm was suggested. Within an hour from the first application I felt relieved, the pain began to subside In a few days was entirely cured W A DOWNS

My son aged nine years was afflicted with catarrh, the use of Ely's Cream Balm effected a complete cure. W. E. HAMMAN, Druggist, Easton, Pa m8 deod-w2w

ANY pair of the following for $1 00 Boys' $1 50 boots, boys' $2 00 boots, boys' $2 00 shoes, mens $1 75 fine embroidered slippers, misses' $2 50, $2 00 and $1 50 shoes, women's $2 00 shoes, ladies' fine $1 50 slippers, and many other attractive bargains at one dollar a pair, at L L. Ferriss & Co's. Call early. 7d&wtf

Cheap Rates West

F L Wood and N. Allison, land excursion agents, whose office is at No 155 Merchant street, will manage excursion parties over the Peoria, Decatur & Evansville Railway on March 18th, and every two weeks thereafter, round trip tickets good for forty days Parties desiring to go to either Kansas or Nebraska, will do well to confer with Wood and Allison They will furnish, free of charge, reliable information about the west. Thomas Penwell, passenger agent for the same road, has an office with Wood & Allison

March 1—d&wtf

Just Received

50 dozens Unlaundried Shirts See and price them CHEAP STORE

Big 18

PURCHASERS will always find it to their advantage to go to Linn & Scruggs, as they carry the largest stock, best assortment, and the handsomest goods, at the lowest prices mar22 d&wtf

SHELLABARGER'S patent process flour saves one-half the labor in baking, and will make more bread to the pound than any other flour sold here. dec18d&wtf

WILSON BRO'S White Dress Shirts, at B. Stine's. jan27d&wtf

WILSON BROS' fine dress shirts for sale at B Stine's tf

IF you want mill feed, corn or oats, you can be supplied at Shellabarger's

Dec. 18—d&wtf

Jerseys

A full assortment just received at the 18 Merchant St. CHEAP STORE.

Stine's Surprise Party—

His new line of latest styles of neckwear tf

W A BRIDGES, the decorator, has a beautiful line of stylish wall-paper at his place, No 215 North Main street. Give him a call and learn prices

March 13—dtf

LINN & SCRUGGS will save you from 10 20 per cent in Lace Curtains, Window [m]aterials and Wall Paper.

March 22 d&wtf

ALL kinds of gent's wear at B Stine's. tf

Worth Knowing

The fact that Linn & Scruggs have a large and handsome stock of Wall-Paper cheaper than you can buy anywhere.

March 22 d&wtf

CONTRIBUTIONS of every description, from town and country, solicited at the headquarters of the W C T U reading room and dining hall, South Water street.

f14 dtf

GENUINE LEHIGH COAL, bright and clean, at MCCLELLAND'S.

Telephone 21. f12tf

THE DECATUR RETAIL MARKET.

Ruling Prices at the Various Stores—Wheat and Coal

DECATUR, ILL APRIL 4, 1884.

THE PRODUCE MARKET

FLOUR—First grade, White Loaf, $3 50 per hundred second grade, $3 40, third, $3 30

BUCKWHEAT—Bulk, 6 cents a pound, package, 25 and 15 cents each

CORN MEAL—70 cents a bushel

COFFEES—Roasted, 3 to 7 lbs for a dollar green 3½ to 8 lbs for a dollar package coffee 15 and 20 cents

SUGAR—Cut Loaf, 8 lbs for a dollar powdered 9 lbs A, 10 lbs extra C, 10½ lbs

APPLES—$1 25 to $1 60 per bushel

EGGS—20 cents a dozen

POTATOES—50 cents a bushel

CABBAGE—20 to 30 cents a head

CELERY—5 cents a bunch

ORANGES—Florida, 50 cents a dozen

WALNUTS—[illegible] cents a bushel

HICKORYNUTS—$1 25 to $1 50 a bushel

BUTTER—Country, 25 and 30 cents Decatur Creamery, 40 cents a pound

LARD—12½ cents a pound

BACON—12½ to 15 cents a pound

HAMS—16 cents a pound

CHICKENS—Dressed, 35 and 40 cents each

TURKEYS—17 cents a pound dressed

CRANBERRIES—12½ and 15 cents a quart

SYRUPS—From 50 to $1 00 a gallon

STOCK PRICES.

COWS AND HEIFERS—Decatur butchers are paying $4 00 to $5 00 per hundred pounds

STEERS—$5 00 to $6 00 a hundred

SHEEP—$4 00 to $4 50 per hundred.

HOGS—$5 00 to $5 50

Butchers sell pork at 6¼ to 12½ cents per pound same for mutton, and 8 to 20 cents a pound for beef

COAL.

Decatur and all other soft coal $2 25 a ton delivered $1 75 a ton at yards

Indiana Block, $3 50 a ton

Lehigh hard coal, $9 00 a ton. Lackawana, $8 50 a ton

GRAIN

Dealers are paying the following prices per bushel for grain

WHEAT—$1.00

CORN—38 to 45 cents

OATS—30 cents.

RYE—40 cents.

HAY.

HAY—Loose hay is selling at $7 to $8 ton; baled hay at $10 a ton, and straw at $3.50.

A Trader's Idea of Reaching the Pole.

Mr Francois Mercier has lately returned to Montreal from the most northern district of Alaska, near Behring's Straits He has there been employed in the fur trade on the Youkon River and was the first American or Canadian to arrive there after the sale of Alaska by Russia to the United States Mr Mercier speaks the Esquimau language fluently, as also several other Indian dialects used by the natives of the Arctic regions, and relates several interesting items as to the country in general An idea of the cold experienced there may be formed from the following thermometrical observations On the 1st of December, 1882, the minimum during the day was fifty degrees below (Fahrenheit) and the maximum twenty degrees below zero Taking the whole month together, the minimum was sixty-three degrees below zero and the maximum fifty-five degrees The winter lasts about eight months, while the four summer months are magnificent weather, the only drawback being the plague of mosquitoes that literally blacken the air during the long, unbroken day lasting many months

Ducks, geese, swans, etc, begin to arrive about the end of April and lay thousands of eggs on the banks and islands in the rivers These are much sought after by the natives and are excellent eating, in fact, Mr Mercier says there is no lack of food of all sorts, whilst for sports there are reindeer, moose, black and brown bear in the interior and white bear on the coast with salmon in the larger rivers and trout in the streams The Esquimau dogs, which are the draught animals of the country, are mostly fed on these fish when dried Mr Mercier has not a very high opinion of the noble red men of the North, but considers them a lazy idle lot most inveterate beggars and full of superstition

As to his opinion of an expedition ever [illegible] the North Pole, he thinks it never can be done without building small stations en route after quitting the ship for the ice; providing these stations with food and all necessaries and leaving them in charge of small parties by this means only will the expedition be enabled to advance and retire when necessary, taking advantage of some winter milder than usual, and thus push on for the pole No vessel can proceed much further than seventy-six degrees latitude, and this leaves eleven degrees to be got over of frozen snow and ice —*Montreal Star.*

Topnoody.

"Barnum is a great advertiser my dear," said Topnoody to his wife looking up from his newspaper

"He's a great humbugger" was her amiable reply

"But he makes lots of money my dear"

"So does anybody else who sells wind and printer's ink for hard cash"

"If the people want to buy, my dear, whose fault is it?"

"The Lord's, I reckon for making such fools of them"

"That's sacrilege, my dear"

"It's common among the men, all the same, to go back to the great first cause with censure, since they are all so weak that they are afraid it might stop with them"

"What's that got to do with Barnum's white elephant, my dear?" said Mr Topnoody striking out like a swimmer who was getting over his head

"What's the white elephant got to do with me?"

"Nothing much, I presume, my dear, but I suppose you'll want to go and see it when it comes?"

"Well, I just won't I have a better use for my money The skin of a seal is more to me than the entire anatomy physiology and hygiene, of the biggest white elephant that ever roamed the forests of Siam, or any other town Besides I've got one white elephant already and one's enough, goodness knows"

"You must be crazy, my dear I never saw an elephant around here my where"

"Didn't you?"

"Of course not my dear"

"Would you like to?"

"Yes, my dear"

"Are you sure?"

"Certainly I am I wouldn't say so if I didn't mean it"

"Oh no, men never say one thing and mean another"

"That's neither here nor there I want to see that elephant"

"All right, Topnoody, just step over there to my dressing case and look in the glass"

Topnoody didn't step —*Merchant Traveller*

A Good, Healthy Snake Story.

In North Carolina there is a reptile known as the joint snake When attacked it flies in pieces, each piece taking care of itself A darky attacked one of them the other day and to his utter amazement it broke all up, each section jumping off in a different direction In the course of an hour he returned that way and was utterly amazed again to see it all together except the tail piece After waiting a few minutes he saw the tail coming up to join the body taking sharp, quick little jerks It came nearer and nearer until within a few inches of the three quarter snake, when it gave a sudden jump and hitched on in its proper place with a fuss resembling the popping of a cap The darky knocked it to pieces several times, and each time it came together again He carried his amusement too far, however, in throwing the tail part of the snake across the creek just to see, he said, "how long it would take it to catch up" but it never caught up The snake with its three joints was carried to the house where a new tail is beginning to grow to replace the lost one A gentleman who knows much about this singular species says a head will grow on the detached trunk, and there will be two snakes instead of one —*Charleston (S C) News and Courier.*

—A banquet was given William Durant at Boston recently in commemoration of the fiftieth anniversary of his connection with the Boston *Transcript* The *Transcript* is the only daily paper in the world owned exclusively by women, and the banquet and the elegant gifts which accompanied it were given by the owners —*N Y Tribune*

An Editor's Tribute.

Theron P. Keator, editor of the Ft Wayne, Ind., *Gazette*, writes. "For the past five years have always used Dr. King's New Discovery, for coughs of the most severe character, as well as for those of a milder type. It never fails to effect a speedy cure. My friends to whom I have recommended it speak of it in same high terms Having been cured by it of every cough I have had for five years, I consider it the only reliable and sure cure for coughs, colds, etc." Call at Swearingen & Hubbard's drug store and get a *Free* Trial Bottle. Large size $1.00. a2

JEANS PANTS, lined, 45 cents, at the Utica Clothing Store. 2-d6w1

The first real life to business each season is generally seen in the Juvenile Department, for its conceded that the boys, as a rule, will wear out two or three suits to their father's one

Without seriously reflecting on the clothing selected for them, we have endeavored to choose Fabrics which will reduce the unfavorable score against the boys, with what success our customers can best attest One favorable evidence is the increasing call we find for reliable suits in these sizes

OUR STOCK OF

Boys' AND Children's Clothing

IS NOW COMPLETE FOR THIS SPRING'S SEASON,

And you will think, even if you shouldn't say so, that they are by far the BEST SELECTION IN QUANTITIES, QUALITY, PRICE, FIT and WORKMANSHIP YOU HAVE EVER SEEN. Drop in and see us.

B. STINE,

—THE—

BOSS BOYS' AND CHILDREN'S CLOTHIER AND GENTS' FURNISHER.

March 20—dtf

Fleury's Spring Talk!

When purchasing your Spring Outfit how much pleasanter it is, both to buyer and salesman, to have a large and well-selected stock to pick from. If you don't like a Sack Coat, why then there are lots of Frock Suits to look at. If you consider them not dressy enough, there is nothing nicer than a Four-Button Cutaway.

All the above mentioned goods we are displaying in a variety of styles seldom equaled in ordinary clothing stores, and in conjunction with these we are showing all the nobby and late styles of Hats, both in soft and stiff; and new Neckwear in the most delicate tints and shades.

Our BOYS' AND CHILDREN'S stock is replete with the latest novelties for the season, not forgetting good plain goods for little money. Also new Hats. We have the Spinning Top and Base Ball Hats, which entitles the purchaser of one to either a top or ball.

It is generally conceded though that we are at the top of the hill when speaking of MERCHANT TAILORING. In this department we are showing as fine a line of piece goods as the most fastidious would wish to select from.

In conclusion we heartily invite your visit, and are sure it will repay you.

The public's most obedient servant,

FLEURY, the French Cutter

ONE-PRICE

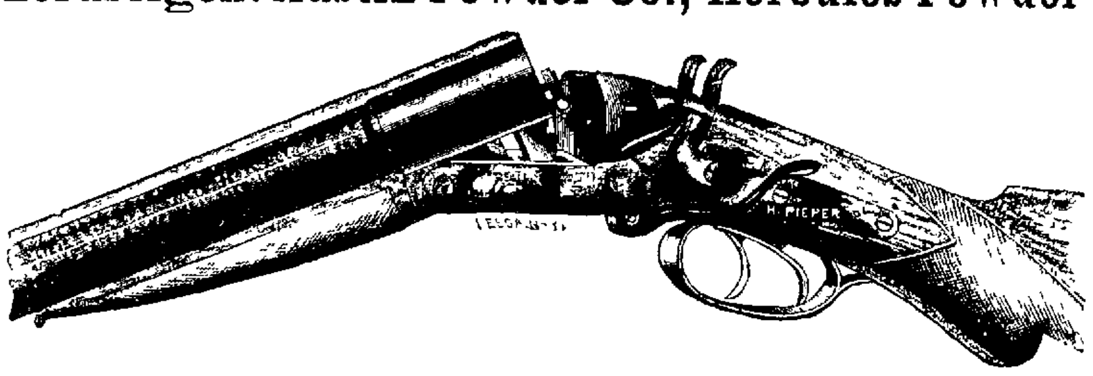
Clothing and Merchant Tailoring House,

CORNER OF OLD SQUARE.

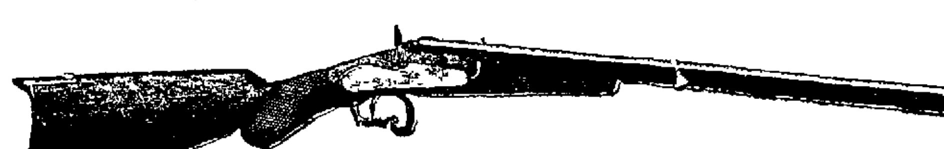
March 27, 1884—d&wtf.

E. C. REESE,

General Agent Austin Powder Co., Hercules Powder Co.



THE "DIANA," THE MOST COMPLETE GUN FOR THE MONEY.



RIFLES—REMINGTON, WINCHESTER, BALLARD, EVANS, &c at bottom prices.

HEADQUARTERS FOR

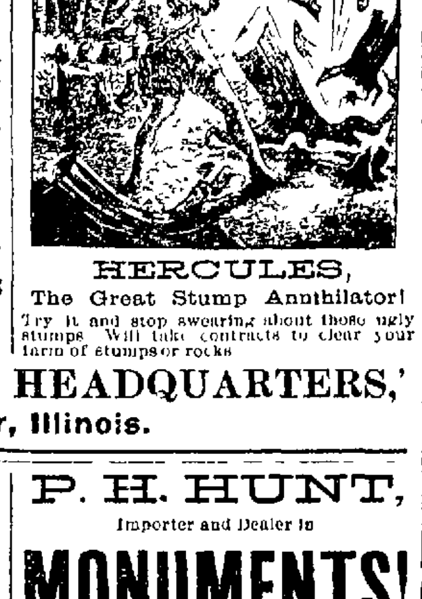
FISHING TACKLE, FINE JOINTED RODS,

CANE POLES &c

If you want to know the pleasure there is in using good, uniformly strong clean Powder, try the AUSTIN, and you will not be disappointed. We PROCLAIM FEARLESSLY that

AUSTIN'S CLUB SPORTING POWDER

for Strength, Cleanliness and Penetration, has NO EQUAL for the SAME PRICE.



HERCULES,

The Great Stump Annihilator!

Try it and stop swearing about those ugly stumps Will take contracts to clear your farm of stumps or rocks

☞ Remember the place, "SPORTSMEN'S HEADQUARTERS,"

257 North Main Street, Decatur, Illinois.

NEW MEAT MARKET!

Danzeisen & Son

HAVE OPENED THEIR

NEW MEAT MARKET

—AT—

No. 16, Merchant St.,

which has been fitted up with new fixtures and everything put in the most complete order. We will keep constantly on hand all kinds of

Fresh and Salt Meats,

Beef, Pork, Mutton, Ham, Bacon, Sausage, Lard, Etc

WE SELL ONLY THE BEST QUALITY OF MEATS.

Give us a call. June 4, 1883—dtf. **DANZEISEN & SON**

P. PERL

EMBALMER

AND

FUNERAL DIRECTOR

May 2, '82-dtf

MRS M L CAIN!

TEACHER OF ELOCUTION AND DRAMATIC READING.

An appearance given to *bona fide* graduates in either Chicago [St.] Louis or New York. Engagements secured. Entertainments monthly. Second flat, 126 Merchant Street.

Feb 6, 1884—d3mo*

P. H. HUNT,

Importer and Dealer in

MONUMENTS!

Head-Stones,
Marble Mantels,
Floor Tiles,
Sidewalks,
Stone Sills

And All Kinds of STONE and GRANITE WORK.

I claim to be able to undersell any man in the state on all my work generally, and especially large Granite Monuments It is to your own interest to see me if you have any good work to do. Address

P. H. HUNT, Decatur, Ill.

☞ Contractor for all kinds of Granite marble and stone work. feb-5d&wtf.

THE DECATUR

Steam Tile Co.

are now prepared to fill all orders, from

1,000 to 1,000,000

of the very best made and best burnt

TILE

IN THE STATE.

We have one of the largest and best equipped Tile Factories, running

TWO MACHINES AND EIGHT KILNS,

Turning Out Six and Seven Kilns of Tile Every Week.

WE MAKE ALL SIZES.

3, 4, 5, 6 7, 8, 10, 12 inch

Our [illegible] Come to our [illegible]

Parties wanting [illegible] would do well to see us before purchasing, as we are confident we can sell them

Better Tile and for Less Money

than they can be bought for elsewhere. Address all orders,

DECATUR TILE CO.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

Factory Adjoining Fair Grounds.

Telephone 126. april3d&wly

FIX THEM UP!

SPRING IS HERE,

—AND YOUR—

Carriage or Buggy

Needs fixing up, repainting and tightening generally

Bring Them in Now,

and by the time the roads are fit for driving your buggy will be ready for you.

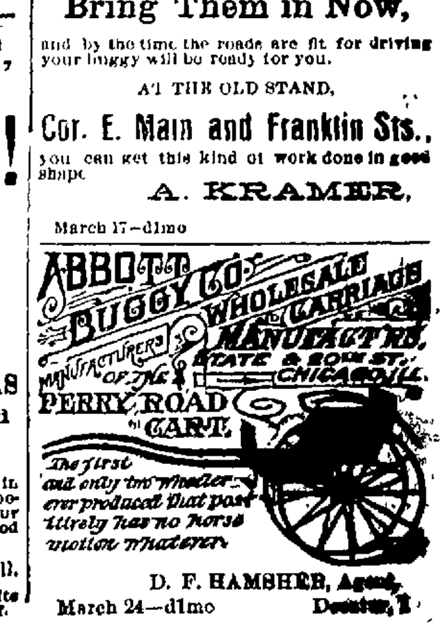
AT THE OLD STAND,

Cor. E. Main and Franklin Sts.,

you can get this kind of work done in good shape

A. KRAMER.

March 17—d1mo



D. F. HAMSHER, Agent, Decatur, Ill.

March 24—d1mo

The Daily Republican.

FRIDAY EVENING, APRIL 4, 1884.

S. R. HAMSHER. J. R. MOSSER.

HAMSHER & MOSSER, Propri't'rs

DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

Entered at the Post Office at Decatur, Illinois, as second class mail matter.

SENATOR CULLOM, as chairman of the senate sub-committee on roads, has prepared a new Inter-State Commerce bill. It provides for the appointment of a Board to consist of five Commissioners, to serve for five years.

THE new gold mines are creating intense excitement in the northwest. Immigration to the scene of the "find" promises to be very heavy during the spring and summer. Marvelous tales are told of the richness of the mines, which, however, are under snow from two to twelve feet deep.

GEN. GRANT is just now the lion in Washington society. This week he has visited the Senate and House, and his appearance in each house was the signal for a suspension of all business and a general hand-shaking all around. The old hero still hobbles around on crutches, though his general health is very good.

ADVICES from Bloomington mention an alleged covenant between Colonel Morrison and John H. Oberly, of the *Bulletin*, the provisions of which are that the former is to give the latter the Democratic nomination for Governor, in return for Oberly's influence in giving Morrison the Illinois delegation for President.

THE Minneapolis people are quite enthusiastic over the victory they achieved over the bummers on Tuesday. We have received from Mr. M. Einstein a copy of the Minneapolis *Tribune*, containing the election returns, and Mr. Charles S. Cariens sends us a postal with the news of Pillsbury's election by 6,400 majority. The campaign, Mr. Careins says, was the most exciting ever witnessed in the city, the total vote being 10,000.

THE first state election in this Presidential year, although occurring in a very small state, looms up significantly. Rhode Island held her election on Wednesday, resulting in a Republican victory of over 6,000 majority, which, in proportion to the vote cast, is even better than the Republicans of that state did in 1880, when they gave Garfield a plurality of 7,416. The total vote cast on Wednesday was about 4,000 less than that cast in 1880.

THE story of the intention of some Democrats to start a boom for General Sherman as the Democratic nominee for the Presidency having been mentioned to him the other day, he remarked: "All of my friends know that I have been a Republican all my life, and they also know that I am out of public life and would not accept any office within the gift of the people. That is all I can say. The statement that I would accept the nomination if tendered me by the Democrats is too nonsensical to talk about."

PRESIDENT LINCOLN's largest professional fee was one of $5,000, paid him for twice arguing the case of the County of McLean against the Illinois Central Railroad Company. The opinion of the court sustained his view of the case, holding that the provision of the charter of the company, by which its property was exempted from taxation on the payment of a certain portion of its earnings was constitutional. The Central Railroad Company owned nearly 2,000,000 acres of land which had been granted to it by Congress, and the road passed through twenty-six counties, so that, had the decision been adverse to the company, a half-million of dollars put at interest would scarcely have paid the taxation.

IT is the man who is continuously talking of his honesty that needs to be watched.

BLUE FLANNEL, all-wool suits, $9.00, at the Utica Clothing Store. 2 d6w1

New Millinery.

New Quarters, New Goods, New Styles, and Lowest Prices, at Miss Watson's, No. 214 North Park street, in new Haworth Block. 1-d6w1

Base Ball.

With every boy's or child's suit we present the purchaser with a bat, ball and cap. Fleury's One Price Clothing House. tf

Boys! Boys!

A nice base ball, bat and cap for a present when you buy your suit at Fleury's One Price Clothing House. tf

HOSIERY, Corsets and Ladies' Muslin Underwear, in varieties and assortments, unequaled in Decatur or the central part of the state. CHEAP STORE. Big 18, Merchant St.

A. T. GRIST is now proprietor of the „Gem" tonsorial palace and bath rooms at No. 110 North Water street. Call and see him. o2-dtf

Base Ball.

With every boy's or child's suit we present the purchaser with a bat, ball and cap. Fleury's One Price Clothing House.

Buy your hard coal at Martin's.

BY TELEGRAPH

STEAMBOAT BURNED!

Thirteen Passengers Lose Their Lives by Fire or Water in the Disaster.

The Vessel Heavily Laden With a Cargo of Cotton, All of Which Was Destroyed.

The Fire Supposed to Have Been Caused By a Carbon Candle—Heroism of the Pilot.

EUFAULA, ALA., April 4.—The steamer Rebecca Everingham of the Central Line, plying between Columbus, Ga., and Apalachicola, Fla., burned to the water's edge at Fitzgerald Landing, four miles above Florence, Ga., and twenty-eight miles above Eufala, at four o'clock yesterday morning. She was loaded with 300 bales cotton and carried about thirty passengers. The fire is supposed to have occurred by the falling of a particle of carbon from the electric light. The boat was in mid-stream when the alarm was given, and was quickly enveloped in smoke and flame, lighting up the sky for miles around. The cry of fire was the signal for a terrible panic, and officers of the boat describe the scene as of the wildest character. Men and women rushed hither and thither in their night garments imploring aid. The boat was headed for land by the pilot, but before a landing was effected nearly every part was surrounded by fire. Within thirty minutes after, the bank was touched and the few that it was possible to save landed. The boat burned down to the hull. and severing the mooring drifted into the stream and sank half a mile below

LOST.

Among those known to have been lost are:

W. L. Kennedy, Eufaula.
Mrs Avant, Cuthbert, Ga.
Miss Simpson, sister of Mrs. Avant, Ft Gaines, Ga.
Julia Adams, colored, chamber-maid.
Dolph Thomas, deck hand.
Randall Singer, deck hand
A. Z. Stephen, colored, deck hand.
Robert Griffin, colored, stevedore.
A colored woman and child, names not known, are missing.
J. H. Hightowe, Eufaula, is missing.
Two other white men, passengers, names not ascertained, were fatally burned.
E. B. Williams, La Grange, was fatally burned.
Captain George Whiteside and Second Engineer J. T. Carey were seriously burned

A HEROIC PAIR.

Two wagon and two batteau loads of survivors and effects reached Eufaula at 2 p. m., among whom was the pilot, G. H. Lapham, to whose heroism and that of his young son they who did escape are indebted for their lives. When the pilot saw the danger they were in he did not wait for the boat to make a landing to make fast, but ordered his son overboard with a rope. He swam ashore and made fast, and then swam back and heroically went to work to save life. The noble pilot was the last to desert the deck and then only after saving the life of two women.

OTHERS LOST.

Pilot Lapham gave the gloomy report that it was impossible at present to arrive at the number that may have perished, as the names given above received from him, and the small number seen alive after the disaster, made it apparent that the roll of missing is larger, and among these may be others burned and drowned.

HOW THEY ESCAPED

One lady saved herself by jumping from the cabin to the deck below, twenty-five feet, on the opposite side from the flames, and another by clinging to the motionless wheel. One of the passengers, Mr. J B. Yates, had presentiment of disaster and spoke of it the preceding night. So strongly impressed was he that, when retiring, he refused to disrobe, but slept in a rubber coat with his valise at hand and sleeping nervously. When the alarm sounded he reached for his gripsack and looked for the shore with no thought of safety to others

No officers lost or seriously injured.

BOAT AND CARGO.

The Everingham had a cargo of 350 bales of cotton, valued at $18,000. Of this number 234 bales belonged to H L. Hull & Company, Eufaula, and was covered with insurance. The balance was not insured The steamer Everingham was built about two years ago She was the newest and handsomest craft on the Chattahoochee River and belonged to the Central Railroad; valued at about $20,000, probably insured.

The almost nude lady and gentlemen passengers were provided as well as possible with raiment at Fitzgerald's Landing, and, together with officers in command of the heroic Pilot Lapham, spent the afternoon in the city and left by the night train for their respective homes, the officers going to Columbus, Ga. This is the most shocking river disaster for years, since the explosion of the Confederate gun-boat near Ft. Gaines, when eighteen lives were lost

CINCINNATI.

Driftwood From the Wreck of the Recent Riot.

CINCINNATI, O., April 4.—At a meeting of Socialists held to-night it was expected some action would be taken on the subject of the riots, but the matter was not discussed. It is announced that they will hold a meeting Sunday next for the purpose of discussing the recent disturbance. There is no change in the situation about the Court-house and jail, except that the crowd of sight-seers became greater during the afternoon, and a much more friendly feeling was manifested toward the military guard still surrounding those buildings. The soldiers, until yesterday, have been very careful not to appear upon the streets in their uniform, and even then in some quarters their presence would have been likely to cause bad feeling. But the great mass of citizens condemn the hostility to the militia as a class.

DESMOND'S DEATH.

The death of Leo Vogelgesang of Columbus makes fifty dead from the riot.

Further details ascertained about the death of Captain Desmond tend to show that it was no deliberate murder in his case, but that he met death from a shot fired at the troops without being aimed directly at any one. It was dark where his troops were at the time, and his death was not known for some time to his own command.

ANOTHER DEAD.

Alfred Hopkins, another victim of the riot, died to-night. This brings the death list up to fifty-one. He was an old captain and pilot on the river, aged fifty-three.

COURTING DISGRACE BY COMMENDING COWARDICE.

The Cincinnati Trades Assembly last night passed a vote of thanks to the members of the Veteran Regiment of this city, who refused to go to the defense of the murderers in the jail; also commended the members of the Fourth Ohio National Guard Regiment for refusing to march to the jail Saturday night to take part in the attack on the mob; also voted to ask the Dayton Assembly to pass a vote of thanks to the members of the Fourth Regiment of that city.

This action was not taken without opposition from some leading members, but a majority favored it.

Funeral of Israel Getz.

COLUMBUS, O., April 4.—The funeral of Private Israel Getz, of the Governor's Guards, killed in the riot, occurred yesterday with military honors and a large display. Governor Hoadly and staff attended the services and marched in procession.

Missouri Wool Growers.

KANSAS CITY, MO., April 4.—The fourth annual meeting of the Missouri wool growers begun here yesterday with a public shearing at Riverview Park Twenty-seven full-blooded merinos were sheared, averaging eighteen pounds of fleece, which is considered the best average yet shown in the State. The highest weight of fleece was thirty-one pounds and six ounces. The attendance was large and great interest was manifested. Last night the association met at the St. James Hotel. where they were welcomed by Mayor Gibson and prominent citizens. The session will last three days. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: H. V. Pragsley of Plattsburg, President; G. H. Wallace of Lee's Summit, Vice President; L. L. Seller of Osborn, Secretary; N. H. Gentry of Sedalia, Treasurer The annual address was delivered by Prof Sandborn of the State Agricultural College at Columbia. Leading wool growers from all parts of the State are here, and the meeting is doubtless the most successful ever held.

National Wool-Growers' Convention.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 3.—The date for the National Wool-Growers' Convention at Chicago has been changed from May 7 to May 19 in order that the delegates may be present and participate in the proceedings of the National Industrial Congress, which will be held at Chicago May 21.

CAMMACK CAUGHT

After Furnishing the Rope to Hang Himself.

DALLAS, TEX., April 4.—The rumors that were current Wednesday night that Morgan Cammack, the cotton swindler who turned State's evidence and was out on bond, had fled after being permitted to visit New Orleans, were verified yesterday morning by telegrams from the detectives and himself that he had been recaptured at Guaymas in Old Mexico on the Gulf of California, about 1,800 miles from Dallas. He is expected to arrive next Saturday. He has by fleeing forfeited clemency extended by the State when he turned State's evidence, and is to be tried with the other members of the gang and the evidence he furnished used against him.

A Dusky Dude in Court.

NEW YORK, April 4.—The trial of Jesse Williams, the mulatto who is accused of gagging and binding Miss Margaret Harvey, the sister-in-law of George H. Slone, in the Slone flats on the night of March 8th, and packing up $600 worth of silverware for removal, was begun yesterday in the general sessions. The case is interesting, mainly from its resemblance to the celebrated Hull murder case, wherein Mrs. Dr. Hull was bound by the mulatto, Chastine Cox, who, it was always thought, had no intention of killing the woman, but was bent simply on robbery. There was an attractive array of ladies in pretty bonnets and handsome garments present. Williams, a medium-sized, slightly built mulatto, seemed to be blandly unconscious of the ladies' fixed gaze. His kinky hair was parted in the middle and brushed into sleekness. His mustache was twisted into a slight curl. The nicety of his dress amounted to foppishness. He reminded the court officers of Chastine Cox, and he sat in the chair that Cox occupied during the trial that resulted in his conviction and death. Miss Harvey, a slender blonde, very pretty, gave her testimony, which did not differ materially from the story already told of how Williams stole into the room where she lay in bed with her baby niece, choked her, gagged her, dragged her from the bed; then she fainted She identified Williams, whom she had often seen when he came to see Gertrude Ash, their pretty little quadroon servant, to whom, it was understood, he was engaged The trial was not concluded.

WHOLESALE SLAUGHTER.

Six Men Struck by a Locomotive—Five Killed.

SCRANTON, PA., April 4.—Seven Austro-Polanders, looking for work, were struck by a backing engine. Five were killed, one lost an arm and one was unhurt. The dismembered heads and limbs were scattered over the road for many rods around.

A Suicide's Dearth of Friends.

NEW YORK, April 3.—The body of ex-Minister Partridge, who committed suicide in Spain, which arrived by the steamer Elysia yesterday, still remains on board the vessel, no person having called to take it in charge.

Depot Burned.

ROCK HILL, S. C., April 3.—A fire last night on the cotton platform of the C., C. & A. Railway soon spread to the depot and the Western Union Telegraph office, which were destroyed. No further damage. Loss, $10,000; fully insured.

Grand Literary Entertainment.

Mrs. M. L. Cain's class in Elocution will give an entertainment at the tabernacle on Monday evening next, April 7th, The progress made and efficiency attained by Mrs. Cain's pupils will be a sufficient guarantee of a rare treat. The following will be the programme on the occasion:

Baby's Soliloquy .... Bessie Pease
Wreck of the Hesperus .... Jessie Pease
Sammy Greer .... Irene Baker
Orator Puff .... Bertie Hall
At the Postoffice Window .... Gracie Fleder
The Jeerers .... Effie Pease
Legend of Bregons .... Birdie Rush
Roll Call .... Virdie Kabrick
Deacon Brown .... Ollie Funk
Mary had a Little Lamb .... Class
Rock of Ages .... Lulu Fielder
Pride of Battery B .... [illegible]bel Prescott
Faithful Lovers .... Min. Lehman
[illegible] Chignon Petite Drama .... Members of [illegible]
Queen of Scotts .... Miss D[illegible]
[illegible] Hymn .... Miss McDaniels
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On April 8th and April 22d, Thomas Bivins will run two cheap excursions over the Wabash and connecting lines west to points in Kansas and Missouri. For further particulars and circulars call on Mr. Bivins at his office at J. T. Hand & Co.'s postoffice block. a1dtd

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SHAKEN UP.

Serious Accident on the Louisville and Nashville Railroad at Belleville.

A Passenger-Car Loaded With Emigrants Rolls Down an Embankment.

A Large Number of Passengers Seriously, and Some Fatally, Injured—Cared For by the Company.

BELLEVILLE, ILL., April 3.—At eight o'clock last night a passenger train on the Louisville & Nashville Railway was backing out of the depot in this city to the main track, when the rear car ran out of an open switch, turned over, breaking the coupling, and rolled down an embankment between fifteen and twenty feet high. The car was filled with emigrants, men, women and children, en route from Virginia to Kansas. As the car rolled down the embankment the lights were extinguished and the occupants were thrown violently together, their screams and yells being heard above all other sounds, and causing a thrill of horror in those who heard them. The train was immediately brought to a stand-still and prompt assistance was rendered to the sufferers. All were rescued alive from the car, but a number were badly injured and two or three may die. Following is a list of the injured:

R. A. Gibbons, cut in the top of the head seriously.

John Comstock, cut severely on the head, and still unconscious at midnight. His recovery is considered very doubtful.

P. M. Anderson, badly injured about the head.

John H. Mohrer, wife and three children, all badly bruised. He had six children with him; three escaped uninjured.

John Barton had his wife and five children with him. Three of the latter were seriously injured. One, a baby in its mother's arms, had its skull fractured and badly cut; it will probably die. Rosa Barton, the eldest daughter, was cut on the arms and hips and severely bruised generally. The father was badly cut and bruised.

Miss Annie Hoffman, serious internal injuries.

J. G. Morris, slight scalp wound.

James H. Larkin, three fingers dislocated and scalp wound

Mrs. D. K. Miller, shoulder dislocated and left knee badly injured.

Mrs. J. C. Morris, injured in left side.

Dr. Nair, back badly hurt.

Mrs. J. H. Cross, cut on head, left arm and shoulder.

All the injured passengers were taken to the Hinckley and Thomas Hotels, where they will be cared for by the railroad company. There were several others injured beside those named above, but they were taken to private houses and cannot be located at this writing.

It is claimed by some of the railroad men that the switchman left his switch open and was absent from his post at the time of the accident.

Spirit of the New York Press.

THE SUN.

NEW YORK, April 3.—To-day's *Sun* says: "A year ago it seemed tolerably certain that the Democrats would elect the next President of the United States. The prospect was good; so good that it did not appear to need any improvement, and yet people had never then heard of the Morrison bill. Even in politics it is frequently wise to let well enough alone."

THE TIMES.

The *Times* says: "There are not a great many Republicans in this State who desire the nomination of President Arthur, but they make an imposing showing for their numbers. They are nearly all of them working politicians. They are experienced, watchful, active, and of late bold. The opponents of his nomination are the greatest body of the Republican voters throughout the State. They are earnest, but not active. They believe that with President Arthur as its candidate, the Republican party would lose New York and lose the whole fight, but they behave as though the whole business were a bore and a matter of indifference to them."

THE TRIBUNE.

The *Tribune* says: "There is a striking contrast between the feeling in the ranks of the two great parties in Pennsylvania. The Democrats are sullen and apparently without hope. Their State Convention meets in Allentown on next Wednesday. It now seems probable that Mr. Randall will be 'indorsed' for the Presidency, and that a tariff plank similar to that adopted by the Democrats of Ohio will be approved. While such a plank will mean nothing further than an expression of Democratic cowardice on the tariff question, the 'indorsement' of Randall will prove that the Democrats of Pennsylvania are not in sympathy with the party as represented in Congress."

THE HERALD—IF

The *Herald* says: "If a clique of politicians surrounding a leader feel sure that they will hold the Democracy in the hollow of their hands if he is made President, and know that they will be of small account if his chances perish, have they not yet the hope of providing a political heir to those chances and counting upon the gratitude of the heir? If, for instance, they could get a Democratic Convention to 'nominate Mr. Tilden and wait for his answer,' and if that answer should give, in a whisper not too low to be heard at Chicago, the name of the man whom Mr. Tilden would like to see nominated, there would be large openings for gratitude if that man should happen to get the office.

The Defaulting Treasurer Brought Back—Considering Coal Rates.

BELLEVILLE, ILL., April 3.—George W. Sieber, the defaulting treasurer and bond-jumper, was placed in jail here last night. He arrived from Houston, Tex., whence he had been brought by F. Siefert, who had been specially deputized to make the arrest. This was done at the instance of his bondsmen, who were forced to pay a judgment of $36,[illegible] which was rendered June 28, 1881. The above amount includes interest on the sum embezzled five years ago. He was removed from office in February, 1879, and at the following term of court was indicted. He had fled, however, before the warrant was issued, but was finally arrested and brought back. He waived his preliminary examination and furnished bonds, which were fixed by Squire Chaltenor at $1,000. This his sureties, John Gross and Jacob Long, subsequently paid. The suit on his official bond was carried twice to the Supreme Court, the prosecution being conducted by the then State's Attorney, G. W. Brockhaus.

Sieber is greatly altered in appearance, and his countenance bears evidence of the mental suffering he has endured since he became a fugitive from justice. His bondsmen appear undecided as to what course to pursue. They, for unknown reasons, had him brought here as secretly as though they wished to keep him for public exhibition, at so much per ticket for admission. Much dissatisfaction was expressed because he was not jailed immediately after his arrival here. He will doubtless serve a term in the Penitentiary but his trial will hardly occur at this term of court.

Sergeant Jenks' Murderess.

ST. LOUIS, MO., April 3.—The State concluded its case in the trial of Sadie Hayes this morning in the Criminal Court, and the defense was immediately opened. It is claimed that the murderess of Sergeant Jenks was temporarily insane when she fired the shot, and, looking toward the establishment of that fact, several witnesses who have known the defendant since childhood were called. They swore that the defendant has for years been a victim of epilepsy, and, in their judgment, the ravages of that disease have left her mentally incapable of distinguishing between right and wrong.

FROM WASHINGTON.

The Tariff Bill Gaining Strength.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 3.—There is not nearly so much talk at present among the protection members of the House as there was a week ago about the available defeat of tariff legislation. They find that the action of the caucus has amounted to something after all, and has done much to clear the air. They are beginning to recognize the fact that a very considerable number of the fifty-seven Democrats who in caucus voted against the Morrison resolution will vote not only to take up the Morrison tariff bill for consideration, but will vote to pass the tariff bill. Not a few of the fifty-seven will do as Congressmen Clardy and O'Neil will do.

The Missouri delegation will be found solid when the time for decisive action comes. Mr Clardy voted against the adoption of the caucus resolution because he did not approve of the policy of agitating the tariff question in Congress at this time; but he, like Judge Buckner, will vote for the passage of a tariff bill So will Mr O'Neill, and the outlook now is that over half of those who voted against the caucus resolution will do likewise.

The cause of revenue reform is likely to gain strength by discussion in the House. The Democratic reformers propose to carry the contest to a conclusion if it takes all summer, Mr. Randall and the appropriation bills to the contrary notwithstanding.

Bliss Resumes.

WASHINGTON, D C., April 3.—Before the Springer Committee this morning Colonel Bliss read a letter from the Attorney-General expressing his regret that witness had presented a bill for so large an amount of fees at one time The Attorney-General preferred to have the bills presented in small installments, as it wouldn't attract public attention.

The Educational Bill in Caucus.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 3.—The Republican Senators met in caucus this morning and agreed to submit certain amendments to the pending Educational bill, which, it is thought, will insure its passage. The bill as it is to be amended will appropriate $77,000,000, and require each State to distribute its quota equitably among the counties.

FORTY-EIGHTH CONGRESS.

Senate.

WASHINGTON, D C. April 3.—Senator Beck presented a resolution of the Kentucky Legislature complimenting the life-saving crew of Louisville, and urging increased compensation for them.

Senator Wilson presented a resolution from the Iowa Legislature in favor of restoring lands granted to railroads to the public domain, in the event of the condition of the grant not being complied with.

Senator McPherson presented a petition from the New York Board of Trade against the passage of the bill relating to bankruptcy.

Bills for the erection of public buildings at Wilmington, Del., Sacramento, Cal., Ashville, N. C., were reported favorably

Among other bills introduced were the following: By Senator Frye, to authorize the appointment of a Commissioner of Naval Architects and Marine Engineer to examine and report on new designs for steamships.

Calling for the creation of a Silk Culture Bureau and the establishment of silk culture stations.

The calendar was laid aside and consideration of the educational bill was resumed.

Petitions and memorials were introduced and referred as follows:

By Senator Wilson—A joint resolution from the General Assembly of Iowa, urging that in view of the rapid absorption of public lands fit for settlement, Congress may take immediate steps to recover the unearned portions of lands granted railroads.

By Senator Hoar—A petition of 8,000 citizens and soldiers of the Eastern States connected with the National League, praying that a pension of at least $8 monthly be given each honorably discharged soldier and sailor of the late war.

House.

The morning hour was dispensed with, and the House went into Committee of the Whole upon the Indian appropriation bill, and resumed the discussion of the point of order against Mr. Throckmorton's amendment for abolishing the five Indian inspectorships and substituting army officers, detailed to perform their duties.

A joint resolution passed, authorizing the Secretary of War to loan flags and bunting to the Mayor of Richmond, Va., to be used at a fair in that city in aid of the home for disabled Confederate soldiers.

Mr. George, (Oregon) from the Committee on Indian Affairs, reported back the resolution which was adopted, authorizing the Secretary of the Interior to make an examination into the massacre of Dr. Marcus Whitmore and others in Oregon in 1847.

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Prof. Cooke will give an open light seance at the opera house on Sunday evening.

A MEETING of the Ladies Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A., will be held at the rooms of the association on Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock. All members are urged to attend as business of importance will be transacted. a2dtd

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WE are authorized to announce JOHN W. RUSSELL as a candidate for alderman in the first ward.

WE are authorized to announce WILLIAM SCHROLL as a candidate for re-election as alderman in the third ward.

WE are authorized to announce HENRY C. OAKES as a candidate for re-election as alderman in the fourth ward.

BY the urgent request of many voters representing all parts of the second ward, L. F. MUZZY has consented to become a candidate for Alderman of the same at the ensuing city election.

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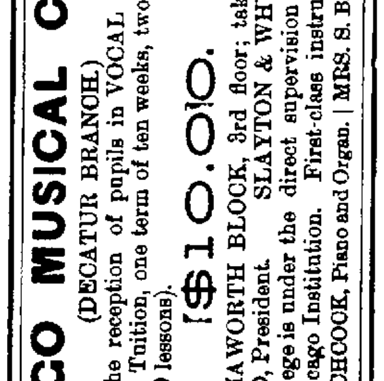

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EASTER BAZAR,

Given by the

Young Ladies' Guild,

Under the auspices of the Baptist Church, at the

Tabernacle,

TUESDAY, APRIL 8th.

GREAT VARIETY OF FANCY ARTICLES FOR SALE.

SUPPER SERVED FROM 5 O'CLOCK.

Admission, 10 Cents.

April 3—dtd

OPERA HOUSE.

THURSDAY, APRIL 10.

LECTURE BY

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BEECHER!

SUBJECT:

A Circuit of the Continent!

This will probably be the last opportunity to hear Mr. Beecher in the west.

Prices—Lower floor, $1.00; gallery, 75 cents. No extra charge for reserved seats. The sale of seats will begin at Curtis & Co.'s on Saturday morning, April 5, at 8 o'clock.

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Practical House

—AND—

SIGN PAINTER,

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GROUND AND ORNAMENTAL GLASS WORK TO ORDER.

If you think of having any painting, graining, papering or decorating done this spring just call at

No. 215 North Main Street,

where MISS TILLIE NALE will take great pains to show you the LARGEST STOCK OF THE LATEST STYLES OF

Wall-Paper, Decorations Window Shades, &c.,

Of the season. No trouble to show goods. I have a large stock of PAINTS, OILS, VARNISHES, BRUSHES, Etc., and have the most skilled workmen in the city in every department. My shop is near the store, and I am prepared to attend to all customers and fill all orders at short notice and at the lowest rates consistent with first-class work.

Satisfaction Guaranteed.

Call and see my stock and learn prices before giving your orders elsewhere.

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MANUFACTURER OF MONUMENTS, HEADSTONES, TABLETS, and all kinds of Cemetery Work. MANTELS and FLOOR TILING a specialty. Will sell cheaper than any other house west of Chicago. Give me a call before purchasing elsewhere.

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$66 a week in your own town. Terms $5 and $5 outfit free. Address H. HALLETT & Co. Portland Maine.

We have received our new Spring Patterns in

JEWELRY!

Many very handsome things in

Bracelets, Hoop Ear Rings, Rings, Sets, &c.

We can show you many beautiful things not to be had elsewhere except in the larger cities, and at prices lower than you can get them there. Particularly is this the case in

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—AND—

Fancy Artistic Pieces,

FOR PRESENTATIONS.

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Order Your Bread

PIES AND CAKES,

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BREWER.

Special attention paid to fine ORNAMENTED WEDDING CAKES.

BREWER, the BAKER,

211 North Main-St., Decatur, Ill.

Jan. 17, 1884—d6mo

BEANS! BEANS!!

GUESS! GUESS!!

We to-day place on Exhibition at our store a glass globe filled with beans, and to the customers making the best guess at the number of beans in said globe we offer the following prizes:

BEST GUESS.

1 No 38 Champion Monitor Cooking Stove.

SECOND BEST GUESS.

1 No. 8-18 Family Garland Cook Stove.

THIRD BEST GUESS.

1 Novelty Clothes Wringer.

FOURTH BEST GUESS.

1 Ladies' Friend Carpet Sweeper.

Customers are entitled to one guess for each dollar's worth of goods purchased and paid for between April 1st and December 31st, 1884. The same committee that seals the globe will award the prizes; we have nothing to do with the counting. Read the certificate of the committee:

We, the undersigned, have deposited a quantity of beans in a glass globe, on exhibition at the hardware store of Ferguson & Dillehunt, this city, have securely sealed the globe, and have no knowledge of the number of beans contained therein.

D. S. Shellabarger, of D. S. Shellabarger & Co., Millers.
Jas. Freeman, of Freeman Bros., Boots and Shoes.
F. L. Hays, of F. L. Hays & Co., Dry Goods.

Decatur, Ill., April 1, 1884.

Besides the above inducement [illegible] with [illegible] offer you [illegible] goods at bottom prices and a full [illegible] stock. We [illegible] largely increased our stock of General [illegible] and [illegible] the largest assortment of Stoves in the county. Give us a call.

FERGUSON & DILLEHUNT,
125 North Water Street.

April 1, 1884—d&wtf

MILLINERY NOTICE.

Miss Hawkes will return from Chicago to-morrow. Her selections will come Thursday and Friday. Large arrivals from New York just received, making ours by far the most

Attractive Stock of Millinery

in Central Illinois. Prices always the lowest. Inspection solicited.

S. G. HATCH & BRO.,

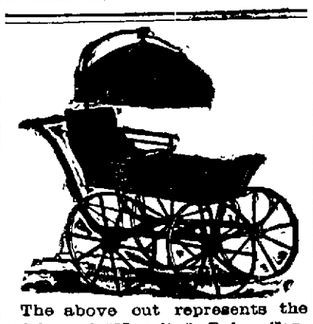
143 East Main St. Powers' Block.

April 1, d&wtf

The Daily Republican.

TERMS.

Per week, payable to Carrier,	10 Cts.
One year, in advance,	$5.00
Six Months, "	2.50
Three Months, "	1.25



The above cut represents the celebrated "Novelty" Baby Carriage, for sale ONLY by

E. D. BARTHOLOMEW & CO.

April 3—dtf

FRIDAY EVENING, APRIL 4, 1884

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

UNTIL further notice our price on 1847 Rogers Bros. knives is $2 50 a dozen, or $1.25 a set. E. D. BARTHOLOMEW & Co.

PROF. COOKE Sunday night.

THE big scraper is on the improved streets to-day, leveling the thoroughfares.

BOYS' flannel waists at Stine's. tf

REPUBLICAN county convention at the court house to-morrow afternoon.

THERE was a pleasant party given last evening in honor of Miss Etta Stafford.

J. W. TYLER, jr., will build driving or farm harness to order. Give him a call.

SPRING is here. An Italian band has come to town.

AN elegant assortment of gent's fine embroider night shirts at B. Stine's.

THE REPUBLICAN acknowledges the receipt of a box of the Hostetler-Waggoner wedding cake. Thanks.

SEE Warren & Durfee's advertisement on the first page of this paper. f19dtf

MR. JUDSON has broken ground for his new residence on West Eldorado street, south of Capt. Bacon's dwelling.

SAM LEE, 130 North Water street—machine ironed shirts, 10 cents, collars 3 cents, cuffs 5 cents per pair. dec 11-d1y

F. D. CALDWELL has the best grades of hard coal. oc17dtf

WARD politics is the all-absorbing topic nowadays. "Well, how is it over in your ward?" is the customary inquiry.

DON'T fail to take supper at the Tabernacle Tuesday next with the young ladies of the Baptist Guild.

STETSON'S HATS, AT THE PARK HAT STORE. mar11-dtf

THIS is the spring cleaning season on the streets and in the alleys, and is therefore the annual time of grief for Supt. Shorb. He is well fortified for the racket and will endeavor to pull through without getting shot.

PARTIES, weddings, &c., supplied with Ice Cream on short notice by Clint Brodess. mar21-dtf

THE most stylish and elegant instruments are the celebrated Haines Bros.' pianos, sold only in Decatur by C. B. Prescott, in opera block.

A LARGE stock of Lace Curtains—*very cheap*—at F. L. HAYS & Co.'s.

April 4—d2t

DUNLAP'S HATS—H. F. EHRMAN & CO., SOLE AGENTS.

March 11-dtf

THE Draper "Uncle Tom's Cabin" party were greeted by a packed audience at the opera house last night. The company is a good one and gave general satisfaction. They left for Lincoln this morning.

TULLER & PARKE are prepared to supply all Decatur with the best of stock feed.

THE best Ice Cream pure cream does make. Try Clint Brodess' ice cream; it takes the cake. mar21-dtf

MRS. MARY W. GREER, aged 84 years, died at Washington City on Saturday last. The deceased was an aunt of Judge Greer of this city, and the mother of Lieutenant Greer, Henry T. Greer and Mrs. Dr. Jas. H. Stone, who reside at Washington.

SMOKE only Schroeder's Bohemian cigars and you will be happy. All leading dealers sell them.

FOUR-PLY Linen Collars, all styles, two for 25 cents, at the Utica Clothing Store. 2-d6w1

HARD and Soft Coal at Martin's. nov12-dtf

SEE the beautiful and useful articles at the Tabernacle Tuesday next at the Bazar given by the Baptist Guild.

PARTIES who bought $1.50 nickel numbers for their stores and dwellings, and the same having turned black by exposure, should take them to W. A. Bridges, No. 215 North Main street, and he will gild them nicely and make them stand out bold and plain. 31-d1w

UNTIL further notice I will sell sprouted potatoes at 20 cents a bushel. Respectfully, PETER ULLRICH.

a4dtf

A GOOD Jeans Suit for $3 75 at the Utica Clothing Store. 2-d6w1

SCHOOL HATS for 25, 50 and 75 cents, at Miss Watson's New Millinery Store, 214 New Haworth Block. 1-d6w1

DON'T fail to attend the Easter Bazar at the Tabernacle Tuesday next, given by the Baptist Guild.

AYER'S Sarsaparilla, the first blood medicine to prove a real success, still holds its place as first in public estimation, both at home and abroad, as shown by its miraculous cures, and immensely increased sales. 31

IF you want Easter eggs beautifully decorated, go to the Bazar given by the Baptist Guild at the Tabernacle Tuesday, April 8th.

C. B. PRESCOTT is doing the music business of Central Illinois, and everybody knows it. He has over a hundred pianos in stock and with agents, for customers to select from, and with a variety of styles of standard instruments like the *Haines Bros.*, and *Hallett & Cumston Pianos, Western Cottage* and *Packard Organs*, you are sure of getting the worth of your money. Now is the time to buy if you want a bargain. a3d3t

A HANDSOME woman pleases the eye, but a good woman charms the heart, and Burks' White Pine Balsam cures coughs, colds and croup. 50 cents at druggists. That is certainly *a good thing*—Burks' White Pine Balsam. For sale by H. B. Cole. 1

A Time at Maroa.

Last night 23 members of Decatur Lodge No. 65, I. O. O. F., visited Maroa Lodge No. 318, and the visiting team conferred all the degrees of the subordinate lodge on the Maroa brethren. The excursionists went up on a special train last evening and got home at 2 o'clock this morning, the Maroa brethren paying all the expenses incurred. The party took supper at the Central House at Maroa, of which A. H. Varney is the proprietor, and all are loud in praising the hospitality of their Maroa friends. Those in the party were John H. Mauzy, Charles H. Hartley, Daniel Moore, Michael Eichinger, Zera W. Harris, J. H. Krebs, John Klatt, Frank H. Converse, Albert Bowen, Chas. Armstrong, D. S. McGurthey, S. S. Ewing, I. N. Martin, Sr., I. N. Martin, Jr., Orlando Martin, Alfred Coleman, W. T. Evans, S. P. Martin, Wm. Towling, C. H. Nevins, Bro. Noce, Richard J. Oram, William Niedermeyer.

Bishop of Springfield.

The R't. Rev. Geo. F. Seymour, S. T. D., L. L. D., Bishop of this diocese, will visit the House of Prayer at 7:30 this evening. The Bishop is well known throughout the United States, as a preacher of rare excellence, and has many admirers in Decatur, among all denominations who will doubtless avail themselves of this opportunity to hear him. The service will be choral and will be conducted by the minister in charge. The Bishop will preach.

A Case of Cruelty.

This forenoon William Lake, the teamster, was arrested by Officer Hartley for cruelty to a horse in the ravine near Priest & Co.'s mill. Lake went before a justice, pleaded guilty and was assessed a fine of $3 and costs.

A Kindergarten

Mrs. Dr. Wallace is spending the day among the kindergarten schools in St. Louis. While there she will obtain supplies for opening a kindergarten school in the Haworth block next Monday. This school will afford entertainment and instruction to the little folks who are too young to be benefitted by the public schools.

Sale of a Mine.

The Mt. Pulaski coal mine has changed hands. John Lincoln and David Vanhise are now the sole owners and proprietors, having purchased of Mr. B. F. Fox, of Springfield, all interest against the company. Consideration is said to be something less than $20,000. The best estimates on the entire cost of the shaft figures the amount at $42,000. The present owners will push the business into a paying business.

The Convention.

The Republican convention will meet to-morrow afternoon at 1 o'clock at the court house. It is requested that all delegates meet promptly, as many wish to reach their homes on the afternoon trains.

Sociable and Presentation.

There was a large attendance at the sociable given in Commercial Block last evening by the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers and it was one of the pleasantest gatherings of the season. The following programme was observed:

Essay—"Our Motto," by G. W. Pearl.
Recitation—"Asleep at the Switch," Miss Jennie McDaniels.
Recitation—"Grandma's Locket," Miss Allie Smith.
Solo—"Sweet Sunny Smiles of My Darling," Miss Annie Knight.
Recitation—"On the Shores of Tennessee," Miss Uraman.
Recitation—"Lula's Dream," Miss Livingston.
Recitations—"What It Takes to Make a Racket," Ernie Waller; "Telephonic Communication," Ella Morgan; "Widow Bedott," Miss Uraman; "Archie Dean," Miss McDaniel.
Solo—"Who Will Buy My Roses Red?" Miss Knight.
Recitation—"The Naughty Little Girl," Mrs. M. L. Cain.

There was a laughable April Fool tableau—a glaring headlight—only that and nothing more.

At the conclusion of the exercises Mrs. John McDaniels, president of the Ladies' Auxiliary, presented Geo. W. Pearl, chief of Division 155, an elegantly finished easy chair, accompanying the gift with appropriate remarks, expressive of the good will and sympathy of the ladies who planned the surprise. Mr. Pearl replied in fitting words.

St. John's Church.

On account of the visit of Bishop Seymour, there will be no services at St. John's church this evening.

IN Chicago in May Joe Schaeffer and George Slosson, the prize billiardists, will engage in a match for $500 to $1000 a side to settle the championship.

READ the Bankrupt Sale advertisement of J. R. Race & Co., in to-day's paper, in which they call attention to the bankrupt stock of the late firm of Dinneen & Doyle. Bargains can be had at this closing-out sale.

An Ice Cream Skate.

At the Rink Saturday night *Ice Cream Free.* All gentlemen skaters bringing a lady will be presented with two tickets good for ice cream to be served at the tab. or at Clint Brodess' Ice Cream Parlor. Admission with the privilege of skating, 20 cents; spectators, 10 cents.

1t T. T. VANALLEN.

SUNDAY last, it will be remembered, William Bradley while yawning suffered a dislocation of his lower jaw. He remained in that condition until yesterday, when Dr. W. J. Chenoweth quickly reduced the fracture in the presence of Dr. Small. Mr. Bradley is now in an easy frame of mind, and he finds it more of a pleasure to live than he did on the days succeeding his misfortune.

STOP at Hanks & Patterson's new grocery store, South Water street, and get the best table supplies.

Boys, Boys.

Tell your father and mother to buy your suit at Fleury's old reliable Clothing House. They sell the best goods at the lowest prices, and present you with a nice base ball, bat and cap. Fleury's One Price Clothing House, corner Old Square. tf

TELEPHONE Niedermyer on the mound. Order family groceries and fruits. Goods delivered without extra charge.

OFFICERS HEWES and Bailey last night arrested Cyrus Davis, a countryman, for causing a disturbance on Franklin street.

THE Republican convention in Logan county will be held on Tuesday next at Lincoln.

Boys! Boys!

A nice base ball, bat and cap for a present when you buy your suit at Fleury's One Price Clothing House. tf

Ford Greer.

News from Lafayette received this morning is to the effect that Ford Greer is yet in a critical condition, though the chances are he will recover. A ruptured blood vessel of the nose is the cause of the trouble, resulting in several very severe hemorrhages. Four of the best physicians of Lafayette have been attending Ford and to stop the bleeding his nose was plugged so that he could breathe only through the mouth. All the doors and windows of the rooms had to be thrown open and the patient fanned constantly to satisfy the sufferer who has experienced great difficulty in breathing. Ford was 24 the 29th of March, and as he is young and vigorous the doctors and his sisters believe he will pull through safely. His affliction is a peculiar one and excites general interest.

The Ehrman—Furst Marriage

The marriage last night of Mr. Jacob M. Ehrman, of this city, is noted as follows in a special telegram to the St. Louis *Globe-Democrat* of to-day:

ST. JOSEPH, MO., April 3.—A very brilliant wedding occurred this afternoon at the Jewish Temple, the parties being Jacob M. Ehrman and Miss Katie Furst, the accomplished daughter of Mr. Abe Furst, Rabbi Schwab officiating. To-night a splendid reception is taking place at the Maenerchor Hall, where an extensive banquet is under way. The groom is a resident of Decatur, Ill.

The couple will visit Evansville, Ind., and Cincinnati, arriving in Decatur within 10 days. They will make their home in this city.

Not a Candidate

Ex-Mayor Priest says he will not under any circumstances be a candidate for alderman in the first ward; for, he asserts, he could not agree with the brother members as to the best plan of making public improvements. However, he says he is heartily in favor of improvements of a substantial character, but doesn't care to have all the work done in one or two years. And then he is in favor of cobble stones for street paving and is against brick, because the latter material is more expensive. He will not run for alderman this year. If elected, he wouldn't have the time to bother with the duties of the office.

Annual Foot-Race.

The annual foot-race of the check boys at Linn & Scruggs will take place this evening at 6 30 oclock. Distance two blocks. Those entered for the race who have been properly groomed and trained by John Thomas, are: John Allready, Irish Tom, Dutch Keck, and Bow-Legged Traub. The contest will take place on East Main street.

"A Circuit of the Continent."

The above will be the subject of the lecture to be delivered at the opera house next Thursday evening, April 10, by the celebrated Brooklyn preacher, Rev. Henry Ward Beecher, and there will be a big rush at Curtis & Co.'s to-morrow morning at 8 o'clock to get seats. The prices are 75 cents and $1.00 and reserved seats can be had without extra charge.

At Rest.

The funeral of the late Mrs. M. A. Myer took place from St. Patrick's church this morning at 8 o'clock, in the presence of an assembly of friends that filled the large audience room. The services were conducted by Rev. Father Mackin. The funeral cortege to the Catholic cemetery was one of the largest lately seen. The pall-bearers were Messrs. N. Laux, John McCoy, John Black, James Coop, P. J. Muleady, John Flood, James A. Young and Joseph Faith.

Will Live in Lincoln.

W. H. Burns has decided to bring his family to this city to make it his future home, and expects to move into Thomas Quisenberry's house, on Seventh street, next week. He will endeavor to sell his property in St. Elmo. His trade is that of a wagon maker. Two situations are open to him, and it is probable he will work for Gerard & Co.—*Lincoln Herald.*

A fund has been raised by subscription and gold-headed canes purchased for presentation to Messrs. E. D Blinn, H. L. Pierce and R. B. Forrest for their exertions in endeavoring to secure the conviction of O. A. Carpenter. By a strange omission, nothing has been said about a leather medal for Mr. Forrest for that telegram in the Hall case.

A Temperance Pledge for All.

BY MRS. MAGGIE DAVIS.

A pledge I make
No wine to take;
Nor brandy red
That turns the head,
Nor whisky hot
That makes the sot,
Nor Bery rum
That ruins home.
Nor will I sin
By drinking gin.
Hard cider, too,
Will never do;
Nor brewers' beer
My heart to cheer;
Nor sparkling ale
My face to pale
To quench my thirst I'll always bring
Cold water from the well or spring,
So here I pledge perpetual hate
To all that will intoxicate.
May God help every man to vote a temperance ticket.
How can they vote for license when they know it's very wicked?
Men of Christian hearts and men that understand,
To vote for such a cruel curse in our Christian land?

The Relief Corps Fair.

The ladies of the Relief Corps will give a fair and festival at the tabernacle on the 17th and 18th of April. Dinner and supper will be served on the 18th. All ladies interested in *real* charity work are invited to meet with the Corps on Saturday, the 5th, at 2 o'clock p. m., at the residence of Dr. S. T. Trowbridge, to aid in raising funds to relieve the helpless, sick and needy wards of the G. A. R.

By order of COMMITTEE.

The Wonder Workers.

The original and only Prof. Cooke, the acknowledged king of spirit mysteries, assisted by the clairvoyant and mind reader, Miss Andrews, and a company of specialists, will make startling disclosures at the opera house Sunday evening next. Two hours in the real spirit world, all in open light. Spiritualism on trial by a jury of the people. The Bloomington *Pantagraph* says:

Professor Cooke, assisted by Miss Alida Andrews, gave a very interesting entertainment at the opera house last night. The audience was large, at least 500 persons being present, and was composed for the greater part, of the best people of this city. All of the most wonderful things known to the seance room were accomplished by the Professor with neatness and dispatch, while Miss Andrews' mind reading was something most wonderful, and elicited the warm approbation of the entire audience.

See advertisement for prices of admission.

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SELECT stylish wall-paper and other house decorations at Abel & Locke's carpet house.

A Burial Stopped.

The following particulars of a case of alleged foul play comes from Moawequa:

MOAWEQUA, ILL., April 3.—The mysterious death of James Workman, 77 years of age, has led to suspicions of foul play. The Workman home is seven miles west of here, in Christian county. One day last week a messenger came to town for a physician, saying that his father had fallen and dislocated his hip. The old gentleman died on Monday. After his death Mr. Able Workman, of this town, and a son of the deceased, suspected wrongdoings, and the neighbors who prepared the corpse discovered a broken leg and other bruises on the body. However, the funeral was conducted, and while the solemn procession wended its way to the grave Michael Bowersock, Justice of the Peace, and Constable Robinson ordered a halt. The mourners were amazed, but nevertheless the remains were returned to the house for the purpose of holding an inquest by the Coroner of Christian County.

The verdict has not yet been rendered.

Visitors from Bloomington.

Messrs. McGreggor and Heffner, makers of hard brick at Bloomington for street paving purposes, visited Decatur yesterday and had a consultation with the Public Improvement Committee and other members of the city council. They were here to look about the town and to secure a personal knowledge of the probable wants of Decatur in the line of street paving material. They are prepared to furnish hard brick, such as have been successfully used at Bloomington, Champaign, Jacksonville and other cities, in quantities to suit at low figures, and they hope to receive big orders from this city, as the old square, North Main street to the Wabash road, North Park street, and Franklin street from East Main to North street have been ordered paved by ordinances recently adopted.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Constable Stoker, of Mt. Zion, had prisoners in Decatur to-day.

Capt. Wm. Grason, of Oakley, was in the city to-day.

Mrs. W. F. Colladay and son have returned from Paris, Ill.

Hugh W. Hill is home from his visit of several weeks in Alabama and Mississippi.

Mrs. Lizzie Baker, of Dwight, Ill., is in the city visiting her sister, Mrs. P. B. Sparks.

Col. Hogeland is at Springfield, marching the boot-blacks and newsboys. It's great for the boys.

Mr. Taylor, of Waverly, is in the city, calling on friends and attending to business.

Mrs. E. W. Ewald will play the big organ at the First M. E. church next Sunday.

Hon. J. J. Peddecord may return home from Hot Springs during the coming week.

Born, yesterday, to Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Hanks, a son, of the usual weight, voice and promise.

Miss Frances Shellabarger is at Springfield, visiting Mrs. Black and other relatives and friends.

Mrs. Dr. Noecker and Miss Eva Winchester, of Monticello, were in the city to-day en route for Lincoln.

Charles S. Miller and Adam Winger, of Cerro Gordo, went west yesterday via the "Frisco Line." They are prospecting for cheap lands.

M. A. Myer and his sons arrived yesterday from Wichita, Kansas, as did also his son-in-law J. H. O'Neill from Lincoln, Nebraska.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Wilson, of Macon, will leave next week for Salina, Kansas, at which place they may locate permanently.

J. C. Hostetler arrived home this noon from Texas, where he has been "roughing it" for nearly three months. He is greatly improved in health.

Fred. Spooner and George Tuttle, the latter a brother of Charles Tuttle, were among the Macon county soldiers killed at Shiloh 22 years ago.

Francis Murphy will begin a temperance campaign in Freeport. April 10th, under the auspices of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union.

Mrs. W. R. Abbott is at Lafayette, whither she was called by the serious illness of her brother, Ford Greer. He was thought to be out of danger last evening.

James J. Finn, Esq., late of Sedalia, Mo., has returned to Decatur, and will soon engage in the practice of law in this city. He has not yet selected an office, but will do so, and hang out his shingle.

Hon. Joe B. Mann was elected one of the four assistant supervisors for Danville township on Tuesday. Phocion Howard was not a candidate. One term was enough for him.

William Voorhies, the well-known stock breeder of Voorhies, in Piatt county, has leased the Harrison property on East Eldorado street, and will remove to this city.

John S. Campbell arrived home last night from Hot Springs, Ark. His wife and daughters are yet at the Springs. Mrs. C.'s health has improved wonderfully, and she is now able to walk a mile a day without any special exertion.

Dr. A. M. Kinkaide, of Kankakee, a graduate of the Hahnemann Medical College, has decided to locate in Decatur with his family. He will be associated with Dr. B. F. Sibley in the practice of medicine.

M. Rosenstein sends us a copy of the Minneapolis Tribune of the 2d, which tells of the victory achieved by the Republicans in that city on the 1st, when Ex-Governor Pillsbury was elected mayor by a majority of 6,400.

Mr. and Mrs. John Alloway yesterday received a telegram stating that their daughter, Mrs. Frank Beall, was lying dangerously ill at her home at Arkansas City, Kansas. Mrs. Alloway will leave for Kansas this evening to visit her daughter.

P. H. Hunt is home from Springfield where he made the best bid for doing stone work about the state house; but all bids received were declared off for two weeks, as [illegible] are to be changed and more [illegible] substituted, making the cost [illegible] Mr. Hunt will offer another [illegible] capture the contract.

Mrs. [illegible] Hunt and her son Charl[illegible] who have been residing at Bat[illegible] nearly two years, arrived h[illegible] this morning and will remain [illegible] ing several months. Mrs. Di[illegible] close the sale of her property [illegible] Franklin street to the Stapp's C[illegible]ks, who bought it some months ag[illegible]

[illegible]ed To-Day.

A handso[illegible]e of black and colored Cashmeres, black and colored Ottomans, Summer Silks, Dress Ginghams, Shirtings, &c., at F. L. HAYS & Co's.

April 2-d3t

QUAINT, curious, rare, racy and rich are the styles, patterns and colorings of the new Spring Carpets, Curtains and Wall Decorations at ABEL & LOCKE'S.

April 1-dawlmo

W. A. [illegible] 215 North Main st., is now prepared to [illegible] sand-blasting, grinding, &c. [illegible] our front doors and transom [illegible] have orders with Mr. Bridges. ap3-d1w

Large Shipments

—OF—

NEW GOODS

Are now coming in, embracing novel and choice articles in

DRY GOODS,

WALL-PAPER, WINDOW MATERIALS

—AND—

CARPETS!

Our goods are purchased wherever they can be obtained for the least money, and from the largest and best Importing and Manufacturing Houses in the United States. Our expenses are light in proportion to our sales; therefore we can afford to

SELL GOODS CHEAP,

while the purchaser has the most complete stock to select from and better adapted to the wants of this section than any house in the State of Illinois.

LINN & SCRUGGS.

March 10—d&wtf

BANKRUPT SALE!

The Bankrupt Stock of the late firm of

DINNEEN & DOYLE

Will be CLOSED OUT AT ONCE, and

Regardless of Cost!

OVERCOATS

AT HALF PRICE,

—AND—

Other Winter Goods in Proportion!

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IN HAWORTH'S NEW BLOCK

Publication Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss. Macon County. } County Court of Macon county, to the April Term, A. D. 1884.

Michael Eisy [illegible], executor of the last will and testament of William Cantrell, deceased, vs. Jane Kellar, Abraham [illegible] Kellar, Susan [illegible] Christie, Hart [illegible] Christie, William A. Cantrell, Annie Cantrell, Violet Smith, Charles S. Smith, Annie Cantrell, William Dillon, [illegible] Dillon, Virginia Dillon, Louis F. Dillon, Harriet H. Dillon, Frank Dillon, George [illegible] Dillon, Mary [illegible] Dillon, Robert [illegible] Dillon, Annie [illegible] Dillon, [illegible] Dillon, Grace [illegible] Dillon, and [illegible] H. Ralston — Petition to Sell Real Estate to Pay Debts.

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence of Susan [illegible] Christie, Hart [illegible] Christie, William A. Cantrell, Annie Cantrell, Violet Smith, Charles S. Smith and Annie [illegible] Cantrell, defendants above named, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of the County Court of Macon county, notice is hereby given to the said Susan [illegible] Christie, Hart [illegible] Christie, William A. Cantrell, Annie Cantrell, Violet Smith, Charles S. Smith and Annie [illegible] Cantrell, that the said plaintiff, Michael Eisy, executor of the last will and testament of William Cantrell, deceased, has filed his petition in the said County Court of Macon county for an order to sell the premises belonging to the estate of said deceased, or so much of it as may be needed to pay the debts of said deceased, and described as follows, to-wit: Forty (40) feet off of the east ends of lots eight and nine (8 and 9), in block two (2), in Hardy's addition to the town, now city, of Decatur, situated in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, and that a summons has been issued out of said court against you, returnable at the April term, A. D. 1884, of said court, to be holden on the twenty first day of April, A. D. 1884, at the Court House in Decatur, in Macon county, Illinois.

Now unless you, the said Susan [illegible] Christie, Hart [illegible] Christie, William A. Cantrell, Annie Cantrell, Violet Smith, Charles S. Smith and Annie [illegible] Cantrell, shall personally be and appear before said County Court of Macon county, on the first day of a term thereof to be holden at Decatur, in said county, on the twenty first day of April, 1884, and plead, answer or demur to the said complainant's petition filed therein, the same and the matters and things therein charged and stated will be taken as confessed, and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of said bill.

Decatur, Illinois, March 12th, 1884.

O. P. HARDY, Clerk.

JOSIAH M. CLOKEY, Complainant's Solicitor.

March 12-d4w

Administrator's Sale.

Estate of MARGARET A. [illegible], Deceased.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that on Saturday, April 26, A. D. 1884, [illegible], Robert Conklin, duly appointed administrator of said estate, will sell at the west door of the Court House in the city of Decatur, in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, in pursuance of a decretal order of the County Court of said county, to the highest and best bidder, at public vendue, at the hour of two o'clock P. M. on said day, the following described real estate, to-wit: The west half (½) of the southeast quarter (¼) of section six (6), in township fifteen (15) north, range six (6) east of the third P. M., containing eighty (80) acres, more or less, situated in Moultrie county, in the State of Illinois.

The terms of said sale to be the payment at the time of sale one half of the purchase price in cash, and the purchaser to give his promissory note, with good personal security, said note to be payable in six months from the date of sale, bearing interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum from date until paid, and to be further secured by a mortgage upon said real estate, the purchaser to have the privilege of paying for said lands at once in cash.

ROBERT CONKLIN, Adm'r.

Decatur, March 25th, 1884—d4w

Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss. Macon County. }

In the Circuit Court to May Term, 1884.

Margaret A. Legard vs. David M. Legard—In Chancery—Divorce.

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence in the State of Illinois of David M. Legard, the defendant in said cause, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois. Notice is hereby given to the said defendant that the said complainant has filed her bill of complaint in said cause in the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, on the chancery side thereof, against the said defendant, to the May term, 1884, of said court; that a summons in said cause has been issued against you, the said defendant, returnable at the said May term, 1884, of said court, as is by law required, and that said cause is yet pending and undetermined in said court.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk Circuit Court.

Decatur, Illinois, March 31, 1884.

H. PASCO, Complainant's Solicitor. d4w

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Gen'l Pass Agent,
Jan 15—d&wtf St. Louis, Mo.

Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss. Macon County, }

In the Circuit Court to the May Term, A. D., 1884.

Samuel L. Davidson, Hannah M. Davidson, Jasper A. Davidson and Mary E. L. Davidson vs. William L. Riber, Lavena Riber, George A. Riber, Alice Riber, John Riber, Thomas Tedford, Joseph R. Tedford, Cleil Riber, George W. Riber, Cinthia Bendure, John Bendure, Matilda Jane Schroll, William Fe[illegible], Catharine Riber and E. D. Riber—Bill for Partition.

Affidavit of the non-residence of said George A. Riber, Alice Riber, Cinthia Bendure, John Bendure, Matilda Jane Schroll, Catharine Riber and E. D. Riber, a portion of the defendants in the above entitled cause, notice is hereby given the said George A. Riber, Alice Riber, Cinthia Bendure, John Bendure, Matilda Jane Schroll, Catharine Riber and E. D. Riber, that said complainants have filed their bill of complaint in said cause in the said Circuit Court of Macon County, Illinois, on the chancery side thereof, against the said defendants, to the May term, A. D., 1884, of said court, praying for the partition and division of certain lands described in said bill of complaint, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against said defendants, returnable at the Court House in the city of Decatur, in said county on the second Monday of *May* 1884 as is by law required, which cause is now pending and unsatisfied in said court.

E. McCLELLAN, Circuit Clerk.

April 3, 1884—d4w

Assignee's Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE undersigned has been appointed assignee of John Irwin, and all persons holding claims or claims against said John Irwin, are hereby notified to present the same to me, under oath or affirmation, within three months of this date whether said claims are due or not. All persons indebted to said assignee are requested to make prompt payment of the same.

Dated this 26th day of February, A. D. 1884.

Feb 26-d6w JOSEPH N. BAKER, Assignee

The Daily Republican.

Last Reminiscences of Anthony Trollope.

It was at the close of a lively morning visit that he first told one of his greatest friends that his life was in danger, saying in the most conversational tone, "I have had a terrible verdict pronounced against me since I saw you last. They say I have got angina pectoris. I am to eat and drink, and get up and sit down at my peril, and may drop down dead at any moment." He subsequently consulted Dr. Murrell, the well known authority on angina pectoris, who did not indorse the verdict, but found that his heart was weak, and that hard work had made an old man of him. For more than a year he remained under the same medical care, and got comparatively well. He was enabled to resume his favorite exercise, and his usual animated life, being however fairly warned, and that impressively, that he must neither overwork nor overexert himself. The injunction was perfectly vain. He was extraordinarily impatient and reckless of his own condition, would still dash out of railway carriages before the stopping of the train, would hurry in and out of cabs, and give way in all things to his usual impetuosity. The end was grievous as it was sudden, and is briefly described in the preface. On the evening of the 3d of November, 1882, he was seized with paralysis of the right side, accompanied by loss of speech. His mind also had failed, though at intervals his thoughts would return to him. After the first three weeks these lucid intervals became rarer, but it was always very difficult to tell how far his mind was sound or how far astray. He was moved from the rooms in Suffolk street, which he had taken as soon as it was decided that he could not live at Harting, and where the doors were besieged with anxiously inquiring visitors, to a quiet house in Welbeck street, where he died nearly five weeks from the night of his attack. The wish he had expressed so strongly in his days of health and strength was granted. The power of work was over, and he was taken from the world in which, according to his own view, there could be no longer any joy.—*Temple Bar.*

Filling a Barrel of Flour.

A down-town flour dealer was pasting a grand label on the head of a flour barrel, when a young man stopped by his side to watch the operation. As the dealer gave the label a parting wipe he straightened up, paste brush in hand, and looking sidewise at the label said: "It is easier to fill a barrel with flour than to paste on the label."

The young man looked astonished, and seeing that, the dealer asked: "How do you suppose barrels are filled with flour?"

"Shoveled with a scoop."

"That's where you are wrong. There is a flour packing machine. It would be impossible to pack a barrel of flour by weight in the common flour barrel, using only a scoop. The flour packer consists of an upright shaft suspended several feet above the floor. On the lower end is a screw like a propeller-wheel, or more like the cutting blade of a post hole auger. A tube of iron about as large as the inside of a barrel is suspended around the vertical shaft so that the bottom of the tube is on a level with the lower end of the shaft. The barrel is placed on a platform below the tube, and the platform and barrel are raised by coiled springs working on a shaft that winds up small chains until the bottom of the barrel reaches the bottom of the tube. The flour is fed into the tube from a hopper, the screw revolves by steam, pressing the flour against the bottom of the barrel. As the barrel fills it is forced away from the screw. The tension of the coiled spring is arranged to overcome the weight of the flour, and thus the flour is forced into the barrel under an even pressure from top to bottom."

"How long does it take to fill a barrel?"

"About as long as it would take you to wink. Sacks are filled in the same way. Small tubes, according to the size of the sack, are used, and the coiled spring is adjusted to suit large and small sacks. There are several different styles, but they all cost the flour packer a hundred dollars each."—*N. Y. Sun.*

A Story of an Elephant.

There is a beautiful story of an old elephant engaged in a battle on the plains of India. He was a standard bearer, and carried on his huge back the royal ensign, the rallying point of the Poonah host. At the beginning of the fight he lost his master. The mahout, or driver, had given him the word to halt, when he received a fatal wound, and fell to the ground, where he lay under a heap of slain. The obedient elephant stood still while the battle closed around him and the standard he carried. He never stirred a foot, refusing to advance or retire, as the conflict became hotter and fiercer, until the Mahrattas, seeing the standard still flying steadily in its place, refused to believe that they were being beaten, and rallied again and again round the colors. And all this while amid the din of battle the patient animal stood straining its ears to catch the sound of that voice it would never hear again. At length the tide of conquest left the field deserted. Mahrattas swept on in pursuit of the flying foe, but the elephant, like a rock, stood there, with the dead and dying around, and the ensign waving in its place. For three days and nights it remained where its master had given the command to halt. No bribe nor threat could move it. They then sent to a village one hundred miles away and brought the Mahout's little son. The noble hero seemed then to remember how the driver had sometimes given his authority to the little child, and immediately, with all the shattered trappings clanging as he went, paced quietly and slowly away.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company is to put weather signals on its trains for the benefit of farmers. Red and blue crescents and red and blue stars will indicate the sorts of weather that are predicted.

—Logg complains that he got nothing by complaining to his landlord. It was like putting a new piece of cloth into an old garment. The rent was made worse.—*Boston Transcript.*

Grave Robbers

Of all classes of people the professional grave robbers are the most despised. He robs us of our dear friends for a few dollars. How different is this new grave robber, Dr Bigelow's Positive Cure, which robs graves of thousands of consumptives. This unequaled remedy for coughs, colds and consumption, whooping cough, croup and all throat and lung diseases, subdues and conquers these troubles speedily, safely and thoroughly. Trial bottle free of Dr. A. J. Stoner, physician and druggist, 11 south side new square, Decatur, Ill. 4

THE largest and finest stock of paints, and stylish wall-paper, at W. A. Bridges', No 215 North Main street.

March 13—dtf

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THE free trader is wont to deny the statements that the closing or curtailing of products of any important industry in this country, either by unfavorable changes in the tariff or other circumstances will have the tendency to advance the price. Such have been the experiences of the country in the iron and woolen industries at several periods in our history. Such was the result a few months ago when the production of glass in the United States was brought to a standstill by the strikes of the workmen. Not long since the chemical works of Weightman & Powers at Philadelphia were destroyed by fire. The firm were the principal manufacturers of quinine in the United States. The result has been that the price was advanced one third. This result, in a less marked manner and after a long period, would follow the breaking down of any of our manufacturing industries. And it is for this reason and to bring about a like result that the lobby of the foreign manufacturers is supporting the Morrison tariff bill.

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March 22-d&wtf LINN & SCRUGGS

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March 29 d&w LINN & SCRUGGS

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Mr Daniel Dustman has removed his stock of furniture into the new Haworth block, third door east of Water street, where he has plenty of room and can handle furniture better than ever. Give him a call. mar5 dtf

AYER'S Cherry Pectoral.

No other complaints are so insidious in their attack as those affecting the throat and lungs: none so trifled with by the majority of sufferers. The ordinary cough or cold, resulting perhaps from a trifling or unconscious exposure, is often but the beginning of a fatal sickness. AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL has well proven its efficacy in a forty years' fight with throat and lung diseases, and should be taken in all cases without delay.

A Terrible Cough Cured.

"In 1857 I took a severe cold, which affected my lungs. I had a terrible cough, and passed night after night without sleep. The doctors gave me up. I tried AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL, which relieved my lungs, induced sleep, and afforded me the rest necessary for the recovery of my strength. By the continued use of the PECTORAL a permanent cure was effected. I am now 62 years old, hale and hearty, and am satisfied your CHERRY PECTORAL saved me.

HORACE FAIRBROTHER."

Rockingham, Vt., July 15, 1882.

Croup.—A Mother's Tribute.

"While in the country last winter my little boy, three years old, was taken ill with croup; it seemed as if he would die from strangulation. One of the family suggested the use of AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL, a bottle of which was always kept in the house. This was tried in small and frequent doses, and to our delight in less than half an hour the little patient was breathing easily. The doctor said that the CHERRY PECTORAL had saved my darling's life. Can you wonder at our gratitude? Sincerely yours,

MRS. EMMA GEDNEY."

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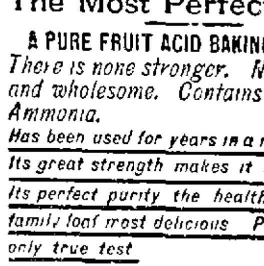

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ELECTION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, April 15th 1884, an election will be held in the city of Decatur for the purpose of electing one alderman from each ward in said city. Said election will be held at the following places:

In the First Ward at Neptune Hose House
" Second " at City Council Rooms
" Third " at Rescue Hose House
" Fourth " at County Clerk's office
" Fifth " at Eldorado Hose House

Which election will be opened at 8 o'clock in the morning and continue open until 7 o'clock in the afternoon of that day.

Dated this 24th day of March, 1884.

March 24-dtd C. M. DURFEE, City Clerk.

Congressional District Convention

The Republican voters of the 14th Congressional District are requested to send delegates to a convention to be held at Clinton on Friday, April 11th, 1884, at 11 o'clock A. M., for the following purposes:

To nominate a candidate for congress.

To nominate a candidate for member of the state board of equalization.

To select two delegates and two alternates to represent the district in the National Convention to be held at Chicago on June 3rd.

To nominate a candidate for district elector.

And to transact such other business as may properly come before the convention.

The basis of representation in the district convention will be the same as that fixed for the state convention, under which the several counties will be entitled to delegates as follows:

DeWitt	6
Logan	7
Macon	9
McLean	18
Piatt	5

By order of the district committee.

C. F. EMERY, Chairman.

W. H. PLONK, Sec'y.

REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVENTION.

The Republicans of the several townships of Macon county are requested to select delegates to attend a Delegate Convention to be held at the Court House in Decatur on Saturday, April 5th at one o'clock P. M., for the purpose of selecting nine delegates to attend the State Republican Convention at Peoria, on Wednesday, April 16th and nine delegates to attend the Congressional Convention at Clinton on Friday, April 11th. Also, to reorganize the County Cent Committee. The representation in said convention will be based upon the vote cast for President Garfield, being one delegate for every 50 or fractional 25 votes or over. Each district and township will be entitled to the following delegates, to wit:

Decatur—1st District,	9	Long Creek	3
" 2d "	7	Macon	4
" 3rd "	6	Maroa	4
" 4th	4	Milam	1
Austin	1	Mt. Zion	2
Blue Mound	3	Niantic	2
Friends Creek	4	Oakley	2
Hickory	2	Pleasant View	2
Harristown	2	Wheatland	2
Illini	3	Whitmore	3

M. F. KANAN, Chairman.

JOHN A. BARNES, Secretary.

Decatur—1st District, John A. Brown
" 2d " John A. Barnes
" 3d " A. I. Hill
" 4th " H. McClellan
Austin—A. B. McKee
Blue Mound—J. A. Barnes
Friends Creek—G. N. Myers
Hickory—Martin Holman
Harristown—John D. McGuire
Illini—J. O. Remick
Long Creek—J. S. Gillespie
Macon—Wm. Sturgis
Maroa—Thos. N. Leavitt
Mt. Zion—Charles H. Fletcher
Niantic—D. H. Claypool
Oakley—W. C. Bailey
Pleasant View—E. I. Clements
Wheatland—John Ward
Whitmore—James Lichtenberger

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The W. C. T. U. are now settled in their new reading room and dining hall, on South Water street. We are thankful to the public for their patronage, solicit a continuance of the same and hope to many friends, who will aid us in our new enterprise. We will gratefully receive contributions in the way of books, periodicals, etc., for our reading room, also furniture, useful and ornamental, groceries and produce of every description. Will have a grand opening, the date not being now arranged, will be made public soon. Call and see us. THE LADIES.

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Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } Macon County, }

In the Circuit Court to May Term A. D. 1884.

Jasper J. Peddecord and Lowber Burrows, complainants, vs. Edward Cassidy, defendant.—Bill to Foreclose.

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence of said defendant, Edward Cassidy, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of said Circuit Court, notice is hereby given to said Edward Cassidy that said complainants have heretofore filed their bill of complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof in said cause, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against said defendant, returnable at the Court House in the city of Decatur, in said county, on the second Monday of May next, 1884, as is by law required, which cause is now pending and undetermined in said court.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

March 31 1884—d4w

Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss. Macon County }

In the Circuit Court May Term, A. D. 1884.

Jasper J. Peddecord and Lowber Burrows, complainants, vs. Nancy Jane Dawson, Lavenia A. Kepple, Jesse Kepple, Jennetta Matthias, David Matthias, Fanny Rouse, William Rouse, Hattie Mumaugh and Charles Mumaugh, defendants—Bill to Foreclose.

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence of Jennetta Matthias, David Matthias, Fanny Rouse and William Rouse, part of the defendants above named, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of said Circuit Court of Macon county, notice is hereby given to the said Jennetta Matthias, David Matthias, Fanny Rouse and William Rouse, that the complainants heretofore filed their bill of complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against all said defendants, returnable at the Court House in the city of Decatur, in said county, on the second Monday of May next (1884), as is by law required, which said cause is now pending and undetermined in said court.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

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STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss. Macon County }

In the Circuit Court, May Term, A. D. 1884.

Ellen A. Chapman vs. Sarah McBride, John I. Hulett, John A. Brown, Trustee, Ida May Chapman, Charles E. Hulett and Justus B. Conklin.—Chancery.

AFFIDAVIT of the non residence of Charles E. Hulett and Justus B. Conklin, two of the above named defendants, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of said Circuit Court of Macon county, notice is hereby given to said Charles E. Hulett and Justus B. Conklin that the complainant heretofore filed her amended or supplemental bill of complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against said defendants, returnable at the Court House in the city of Decatur, in said county on the *Second Monday* of *May next* (1884), as is by law required, which cause is now pending and undetermined in said court.

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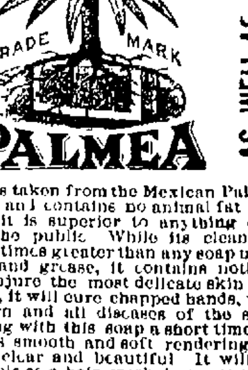

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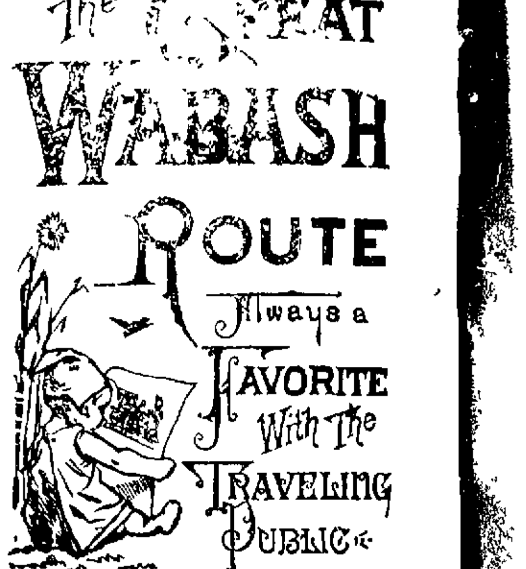

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Going "	8 10 a. m.

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" 43, Fast Line,	5 05 a. m.
" 1, Decatur and St. Louis Accom	6 20 a. m.
" 5, Fast Mail	3 35 p. m.

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" 4, Atlantic Express	11 55 a. m.
" 6, St. Louis and Decatur Accom	7 30 p. m.
" 42, Lightning Express	10 30 p. m.

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Going West	6 00 a. m.
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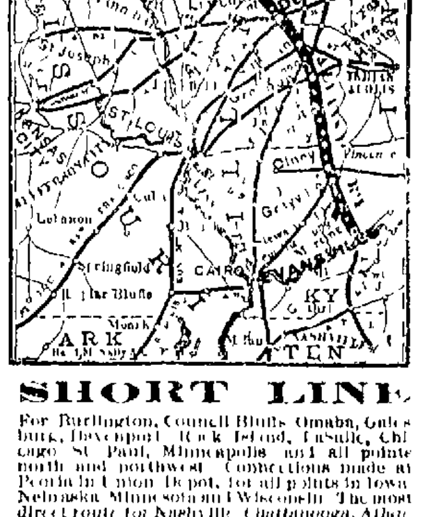

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Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss. County of Macon, }

Circuit Court of Macon county, May Term, A. D. 1884.

Sarah Ann Leighty vs. Joseph Leighty—In Chancery.

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence of Joseph Leighty, defendant above-named, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of said Circuit Court of Macon county, notice is hereby given to the said Joseph Leighty that the complainant heretofore filed her bill of complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against said defendant, returnable at the Court House in the city of Decatur, in said county, on the second Monday of May next, (1884), as is by law required; which cause is now pending and undetermined in said court.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

March 26, 1884—d4w